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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

In response to the Official Action dated June 10, 1999, placing the case under final rejection, please amend the above identified patent application as follows.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend Claims 1, 2, 16, and 19, as follows.

Claim 1. (amended), line 10: Delete "substantially".

Claim 2, line 3: Delete "substantially".

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